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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Re Application by SBC Communications Inc., et al. For Provision of In-Region InterLATA Services in Michigan, WC Docket No. 03-16

Dear Ms. Dortch:

I would like to inform you that I had a telephone conversation with administrative assistants of Commissioner Jonathon Adelstein and Commissioner Michael Copps today. I left messages for each, explaining that I believe Michigan consumers and business will benefit from a fully open and competitive telecommunications market when Michigan Bell is allowed to compete for interLATA long distance services, and I support SBC's application, referenced above.

In accordance with this Commission's Public Notice, DA 03-156 (Jan. 16, 2003), I am filing this letter electronically through the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System. Thank you for your kind assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Robert E. O'Hara